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## Newsnotes

### *Sister Daniel Hannefin, D.C.*

Sister Daniel Hannefin died in Saint Louis on 18 June 1995 at the age of sixty-seven. A native of Saint Louis, she entered the Daughters of Charity in 1947 and received a bachelor's degree in history at Fontbonne College and a master's degree in English at Loyola University in Chicago. She taught elementary school in Missouri and California and also spent eight years in social work in Chicago. She was later a pastoral minister at DePaul Hospital in Saint Louis and Saint Paul Medical Center in Dallas.

From 1980 to 1993 she was archivist for the West Central Province of the Daughters of Charity. For all those interested in the history of the Daughters of Charity and for Vincentian studies in general, she will be remembered for her book *Daughters of the Church: A Popular History of the Daughters of Charity in the United States 1809-1987* published in 1989 by the New City Press. Sister Daniel worked closely with the Vincentian Studies Institute in preparing that work. The Institute extends its deepest sympathy to her surviving sisters and the Daughters of Charity of the West Central Province.

### *Books*

In addition to *Deep Down Things*, reviewed in this issue, there are the following publications that deal with Vincentian studies.

The fifth volume of *Vincent de Paul: Correspondence, Conferences, Documents*, edited by Sister Marie Poole, D.C., has been published and is available from the Vincentian Translation Project, Saint Joseph's Provincial House, 333 South Seton Avenue, Emmitsburg, MD 21727.

*Vincent de Paul and Louise de Marillac: Rules, Conferences, and Writings*, edited by John Rybolt, C.M., and Frances Ryan, D.C., is now available from Paulist Press as a part of their Classics of Western Spirituality Series. Cloth: \$24.95, paper: \$18.95. To order contact Paulist Press at 997 Macarthur Blvd., Mahwah, NJ, 07430. To order by phone call: (201) 825-7300, or Fax: 1-800-836-3161.

*Praying with Louise de Marillac* by Audrey Gibson, D.C., and Kieran

Kneaves, D.C., both members of the Vincentian Studies Institute, has just been published. The publisher's summary says of Saint Louise that she "knew the pain and suffering of God's poor people." This valuable work is available from Saint Mary's Press, Christian Brothers Publications, 702 Terrace Heights, Winona, MN 55987-1320. Toll free phone: 1-800-533-8095. Toll free FAX 1-800-344-9225. 120 pp., \$7.95.

Vicente de Dios, *Vicente de Paúl: Biografía y espiritualidad*, Mexico: Librería Parroquial de Clavería, 1991.

Philippe Guillaume, *Saint Vincent de Paul: L'Ambassadeur des pauvres*. Monte Calor: Les Editions de Radio Monte Carlo: 1988.

Daniel E. Pilario, C.M. *Knowing the Tree by its Leaves: Re-reading St. Vincent de Paul in the Philippine Context*. Manila: Congregation of the Mission, 1993.

Fernando Espiago, C.M. *A la Misión del Cielo el Martirio, Sacerdotes y Hermanos Paúles Mártires (1934-1939)*. Vicepostulación en España-Padres Paúles, 1995.

Robert P. Maloney, C.M. *He Hears the Cry of the Poor*. New York: New City Press, 1995.

Miguel Pérez Flores, C.M., and Antonino Orcajo, C.M. *The way of Saint Vincent is our way*. The English translation of this 1986 Spanish work of contemporary Vincentian meditations has been prepared and published by the Eastern Province of the Congregation of the Mission. Copies can be obtained from the provincial offices: 500 East Cheltenham Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19144.

Jaime Corera, C.M. *El signo de los tiempos. Contribución a una teología vincenciana de la liberación*. Madrid: Editorial La Milagrosa, 1995.

### *Journals*

The journal *Vincentiana*, which offers a variety of materials from official announcements to historical studies and obituaries, will now appear in separate language editions. The cost is \$40.00 per year. Subscriptions to the English edition may be ordered from:

VINCENTIANA  
 Congregazione della Missione  
 Via dei Capasso 30  
 00164 Roma, Italy  
 Fax 011-396-666-3831

A recent issue contains the article by the superior general, Robert P. Maloney, "Mental Prayer: Yesterday and Today. Some Reflections on the Vincentian Tradition." *Vincentiana* 39, no. 2 (March-April 1995).

The spring, 1995, issue of *Colloque*, the journal of the Irish province of the Congregation of the Mission, contains a number of articles of interest. There is a translation of Vincent de Paul's conference of 17 May 1658 on the keeping of the rules. Three articles deal with different aspects of Vincent de Paul's spirituality and teaching. Eamon Flanagan writes on "St Vincent on Pardon," which emphasizes the place of God's mercy in Vincent's thought. Richard McCullen's talk on "St Vincent and Prayer" is reprinted as is Mark Noonan's "St Vincent de Paul: Our Model and Patron." Thomas Davitt's article on "Irishmen in the Congregation of the Mission during the Founder's Lifetime" surveys an important but relatively little known aspect of Vincentian history. Two articles deal with the Vincentian experience in and contribution to parish work: Kevin Lawlor, "'Our Kind of People': What a Vincentian Parish ought to be about" and Thomas Bennett, "St Cedd's, Goodmayes, 1966-1994."

Gerard van Winsen, C.M. "Le dossier du Père Vincent Lebbe à la Curie généralice (Rome) de la Congrégation de la Mission (Lazaristes) (II)," in *Neue Zeitschrift für Missionswissenschaft*, 51, 1 (1995): 31-60. Lebbe was a pioneering and controversial Vincentian Missionary in China in the early part of this century. This article is a catalogue of the documents concerning him in the archives of the Vincentian generalate in Rome.